### **Share The Love In Livingston County**

Love INC of the Greater Livingston Area

July 2020



EVERY MOMENT
Makes a difference

Are you interested in assisting individuals and families struggling in Livingston County? Are you interested in sorting, cleaning, and organizing at our Resale Store? Do you have a strong back and are able to assist our furniture ministry with their furniture donations?

If you are comfortable serving outside of the home and are willing to work a three hour shift then we need your help.

Email us at info@livingstonloveinc.org to get started and schedule a date for your orientation.



We are praying for you! Submit a prayer request to our team by emailing: info@livingstonloveinc.org



## **Helping Churches Help People**

# Our mission is to mobilize local churches to transform lives and communities In the Name of



Love INC of the Greater Livingston Area Resale Store

Donations will be accepted on a limited basis as we have limited resources and storage. Thank you for your understanding.

Face coverings required and available for purchase for your convenience.

Cloth face coverings should not be worn by children younger than 2 years old and has trouble breathing. If cloth covering can not be worn please maintain social distance from volunteers, staff, and other guests.



**CLOSED SUNDAYS AND MONDAYS** 

CLOSED SATURDAY, JULY 4TH

Store Hours: Tuesday—Friday 11-5 Saturday 10-4 Sunday & Monday CLOSED



We now have red silicone bracelets for sale at the Store!

Come purchase your red "I support LOVE IN THE NAME OF CHRIST" bracelet for only \$5 today and receive 30% off your total purchase anytime you wear your red bracelet in the store while shopping and checking out at the register. This red bracelet discount will last until June 2021!

### Can you help us with a Christmas in July Celebration?

We're planning a Christmas in July celebration for some clients as well as our Kitchen Ministry. Items can be Delivered to the Love INC Office: 820 E. Grand River Ave. in Howell Monday thru Thursday between 10am—4pm between July 13—August 6.

View the Sign Up Genius at: SignUpGenius.com/go/60b0b4ba9ad29abff2-client



#### A Note From Our Director

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ.

I have been studying the book of Joshua this summer. The words "Be strong and courageous" repeat three times within the first nine verses. I love that; it is a reminder I often need! Joshua is getting ready to head into uncharted territory. He knows this land was promised to the children of Israel, and he knows the power of God, but he still felt scared. Maybe he was scared he wouldn't live up to Moses' legacy, or fearful of the unknown, or possibly nervous of the armies they may face. He was so nervous in fact, that he sent spies in the night to check out Jericho. Isaiah 41:10 reminds us, "Do not fear for I am with you, do not be dismayed, for I am your God." The definition of dismayed is the complete breakdown of courage. Rahab tells the spies she hid them because her people had heard that their Lord dried up the Red Sea and how they destroyed Sihon and Og. She tells them that when they heard this news everyone's courage failed because Joshua's God is the God of heaven and earth. Jericho was dismayed because they were not trusting in the Lord. They were relying on their own strength and power to get them through.

Does that sound familiar? I am guilty as charged. The song *Fear is a Liar* by Zach Williams popped into my head as I was thinking about this devotion. These lyrics share a very important message:

When he told you you're not good enough When he told you you're not right When he told you're not strong enough To put up a good fight Fear is a liar He will rob your rest Steal your happiness Cast your fear in the fire 'Cause fear he is a liar

Satan is a liar; he wants us to be dismayed, and he wants us to doubt. "Be strong and courageous, do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go. Joshua 1:9." I feel like I am standing in uncharted territory now, and I have no idea what other giants or battles I may face in this global pandemic, but I will not fear, and I will not be dismayed because the God of the heavens and the earth is with me through it all. He is with us all! Amen.

Blessings and peace to you all,

Kim Bruns



#### Calling all crafters!

Love INC plans to participate in a craft show on October 3rd and we are looking for people to donate handmade items for sale at this event. Do you knit, sew, crochet, make jewelry, or have any other crafty skill you wish to showcase? The proceeds from donated items will stay in Livingston



County to support our neighbors in need. Start crafting now and come see the Love INC supporter's talent in October!

#### **Love INC Safe Opening Strategies**

- Staff, volunteers and anyone entering our buildings agree to wear a mask unless they are medically unable to wear a cloth covering.
- Staff, volunteers, and anyone entering our buildings will follow social distancing of six feet be tween each other.
- Staff, volunteers, and anyone entering our buildings have access to sanitizer.
- Staff and volunteers have access to gloves but they are not required.
- Staff and volunteers entering our buildings complete a check-in before they can volunteer.
- We are asking everyone with fever, cough, or other flu like symptoms to remain home. They may shop the Resale Store once they have been symptom free for more than 48 hours.



## **6th Annual Golf Outing**

Our golf outing is only two months away!

Friday, September 11th!

Check-in starts at 8am. Shotgun start at 9am.

Held at: Chemung Hills Golf Club 3125 Golf Club Rd., Howell

\$100 per person 18 Hole Golf Outing includes:

Four Person Scramble
Longest Drive Contest (Men/Women)
Closest to the Pin Contest
Prizes for Lowest Men's Team Score
Prizes for Lowest Women's Team Score
Prizes for Lowest Mixed Team Score
Grab & Go Breakfast
Boxed Lunch at the Turn
Red Tee Mulligans For Sale
50/50 Raffle

\*\*Due to restrictions we are unable to have a buffet dinner. Awards will be presented when all golfers are finished.

To register go to: LivingstonLovelNC.org/golf2020

